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ABSORBENT ARTICLE WITH FLUID

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with Rule 1.56, References AA-AO (sheet 1 of 3), AA-AK (sheet 2 of 3) and AA-AD (sheet 3 of 3) listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 were cited during prosecution of the patent application listed below, which is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 120:

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and are hereby brought to the attention of the Examiner as possibly being material to examination of the subject application.

Copies of these references are not enclosed as they are contained in the file of the related parent application.

The remaining references (AL and AM) listed on Form PTO-1449 (sheet 3 of 3) are also brought to the attention of the Examiner as being possibly material to examination of this application. A copy of reference AL and AM are enclosed.

Form PTO-1449 (3 pages) is enclosed.

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